

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Allbritton et al.	)	
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Serial No. 09/990,413	)	
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Filing Date: 11/21/2001	)	Examiner John S. Brusca
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For: METHOD TO MEASURE THE	)	Group Art Unit No. 1631
ACTIVATION STATE OF SIGNALING	)	
PATHWAYS IN CELLS	)	

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 23, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following remarks.